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FM AMEMBASSY RABAT

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8224

INFO AMEMBASSY ALGIERS

AMEMBASSY AMMAN

AMEMBASSY CAIRO

AMCONSUL CASABLANCA

AMEMBASSY DAKAR

AMEMBASSY NOUAKCHOTT

AMEMBASSY PARIS

AMCONSUL TANGIER

AMEMBASSY TRIPOLI

AMEMBASSY TUNIS

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USCINCEUR VAIHINGEN GERMANY

CINCUSNAVEUR LONDON

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR PBOR MO SP SS AG MR

SUBJECT: UN REP RYDBECK MISSION: GOM PROTESTS TO WALDHEIM

1. FONMIN LARAKI HAS SENT TELEGRAM TO SECY GEN WALDHEIM PROTESTING
"VIOLATION" BY RYDBECK OF HIS "MANDATE", ACCORDING TO APRIL 2 PRESS.
MESSAGE RECALLED "CONSULTATIONS" BETWEEN SECYGEN AND GOVERNMENTS
WHICH LED UP TO CURRENT MISSION, AND CHARGED THAT RYDBECK HAD FAILED
COMPLETELY TO RESPECT TERMS. LARAKI ENDED BY STERNLY ASKING
WALDHEIM TO ADVISE HIM OF WHAT SECYGEN INTENDED TO DO ABOUT

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SITUATION, ADDING THAT HE MUST HAVE ANSWER PROMPTLY.

2. COMMENT: WHETHER THIS IS EXERCISE IN BRINKMANSHIP
IS UNCLEAR, BUT WE CANNOT EXCLUDE POSSIBILITY THAT GOM MIGHT
REFUSE TO RECEIVE RYDBECK ALTOGETHER IN VIEW OF HIS POLISARIO
CONTACTS IN ALGERIA. SUCH A DECISION WOULD OBVIOUSLY NOT BE
HELPFUL TO GOM'S PUBLIC IMAGE OUTSIDE MOROCCO, BUT WOULD BE
ANOTHER SIGN OF MOROCCAN DETERMINATION TO SEE ITS SAHARA CAMPAIGN
THROUGH TO THE END, LETTING CHIPS FALL WHERE THEY MAY.
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